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*Dedicated to Good Fellowship*

*“ . . . keep the grasp of fellowship  
which warms us more than wine.”*

*Julia Ward Howe*

## OFFICERS 1977-1978

Thelma J. Brown .....	Chief Assayer
Arthur Sipe .....	Chief Counter
James H. Cohen .....	Chief Weigher
Daniel H. Brown .....	Executive Secretary
Polly Dodson .....	Chief of Statistics
Betty and Ray Lefman .....	Chief Greeters
Ray O. Lefman .....	Executive Secretary Emeritis

## PAST CHIEF ASSAYERS

Matthew H. Rothert .....	1964-1965
Ray O. Lefman .....	1965-1966
Lucy W. Freeman .....	1966-1967
A. I. Martin .....	1967-1968
William T. Louth .....	1968-1969
Richard S. Yeoman .....	1969-1970
Oscar H. Dodson .....	1970-1971
Eric P. Newman .....	1971-1972
Daniel H. Brown .....	1972-1973
Maxwell J. Lieberman .....	1973-1974
Margo Russell .....	1974-1975
Earl V. Catoe, Jr. ....	1975-1976
Lester G. Davis .....	1976-1977

## FOUNDING MEMBERS

Eva Adams  
Cab Atkins  
Elston G. Bradfield  
Vernon L. Brown  
Ernest F. Cooke  
John S. Davenport  
Polly Dodson  
Oscar H. Dodson  
Lucy Freeman  
S. W. Freeman  
John J. Gabarron  
Chester L. Krause  
Ray O. Lefman  
John H. Morris, Jr.  
Margo Russell  
Matthew H. Rothert  
P. M. Williams  
Richard S. Yeoman

## HISTORICAL HIGHLIGHTS

Eighteen former members of the United States Assay Commissions met in 1964 during the American Numismatic Association Cleveland Convention to launch our organization.

Encouraged by our gracious "Lady of the Mint", Miss Eva Adams, and skillfully guided by Ray Lefman and Matt Rothert, organization details were soon completed. Commissioners only are eligible for membership. "The Old Timer Assay Commissioners Society" was a reality having one purpose: To keep in touch to further good fellowship.

The first official meeting was held in Houston, August, 1965. Miss Adams was named "Keeper of the Pyx". Mrs. Williams became "Assistant Keeper of the Pyx."

Each year we have struck a distinctive bronze and silver medal. The bronze is given out only to the Commissioners who attend the annual meeting. Credit goes to Betty and Ray Lefman for promoting this effective attendance scheme. The silver medal is available to all Commissioners. This year we have had designed a small lapel pin. The beautiful medals this year have been sculptured by one of our members, Barbara Hyde. She has also sculptured several of our previous medals. Our special thanks go to Mr. William Louth for his help on the medals in the past years. Our history is being preserved in a Scrapbook by Polly Dodson.

Annual medals are given to the Smithsonian Institute, the American Numismatic Association, and to Detroit's Money Museum. We are proud to be represented in their medal collections. We are also distinguished by being in the Encyclopedia Britannica's Club List.

## MEMBERSHIP

Commissioner	Year
<b>Abbott, Gifford W.</b> 1577 Old York Road, Box 233, Abington PA 19001	(1958)
<b>Adams, Eva (Honorary)</b> 1700 Pennsylvania, N.W., Washington DC 20006	
<b>Allison, Albert J.</b> 14 Morgan Avenue, Washington PA 15301	1962
<b>Anderson, Daniel T.</b> Box 263, Jackson MS 39205	1976
<b>Aspen, Dr. Nelson Page</b> 633 N. Church St., West Chester PA 19380	1975
<b>Atkins, George M., Jr.</b> 2707 Tanager Drive, Wilmington DE 19808	1976
<b>Austin, Aubrey E., Jr.</b> 1251 4th St., Santa Monica CA 90401	1972
<b>Baber, Albert L.</b> 611 Oakwood Way, El Cajon CA 92021	1969
<b>Baber, Dorothy C.</b> 611 Oakwood Way, El Cajon CA 92021	1973
<b>Bailey, Donald</b> Box 4281, Yuma AZ 85364	1974
<b>Bareford, Harold S.</b> 1041 Kenyon Avenue, Plainfield NJ 07060	1969
<b>Barlow, George W.</b> 100 So. Main Street, Mahanoy City PA 17948	1964



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<b>Bebbee, Adeline I.</b> 4514 N. 30th Street, Omaha NE 68111	1969
<b>Bebbee, Aubrey E.</b> 4514 N. 30th Street, Omaha NE 68111	1971
<b>Bergen, Herbert M.</b> 604 N. Harbor Blvd., Fullerton CA 92632	1971
<b>Bertram, Frederick W.</b> 104-20 Queens Blvd., Forest Hills NY 11375	1975
<b>Bixler, E. H.</b> Box 744, Mobile AL 36601	1967
<b>Black, Edward J.</b> 197 Duane Pl., Twin Palms Mobile Park, Lakeland FL 33801	1975
<b>Bolack, Tom</b> 1010 N. Dustin, Farmington NM 87401	1958
<b>Boosel, Harry X</b> Box 59132 Northtown Station, Chicago IL 60659	1964
<b>Bourque, Carl</b> 8 Jacobs Street, Peabody MA 01960	1976
<b>Brail, Maxwell E.</b> 814 So. Thompson Street, Jackson MI 49203	1960
<b>Brenneman, Myron T.</b> 1025 E. Wayne Avenue, Wooster OH 44691	1976
<b>Bressett, Kenneth E.</b> 1220 Mound Avenue, Racine WI 53404	1966
<b>Brooks, Mary (Honorary)</b> 1009 Strawberry Court, Boise ID 83706	
<b>Brown, Vernon L.</b> 7178 E. Tropical Way, Plantation FL 33317	1942



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<b>Brown, Thelma J.</b> 3070 So. Franklin Street, Denver CO 80210	1967
<b>Brown, Daniel H.</b> 3070 So. Franklin Street, Denver CO 80210	1968
<b>Budd, Philip L.</b> 6190 62nd Avenue, N. #67, Pinellas Park FL 33565	1966
<b>Bullowa, Catherine E.</b> 1616 Walnut Street, Philadelphia PA 19103	1965
<b>Burgdorf, Samuel J.</b> 8440 Taft Street, Pembroke Pines West Hollywood FL 33024	1962
<b>Bushey, Dr. Harold L.</b> Box 770, Barbourville KY 40906	1974
<b>Butland, A. A. "Sam"</b> 2701 35th Place N.W., Washington DC 20007	1974
<b>Byrne, Ray</b> 2649 Florida Blvd. #516, Delray Beach FL 33444	1969
<b>Cahoon, Roy (Honorary)</b> 6100 Knollwood Drive, Falls Church VA 22041	
<b>Cain, John H.</b> 8708 E. 53rd Terrace, Kansas City MO 64129	1968
<b>Calderazzo, Maureen</b> 4600 W. Cypress St., Suite 450, Tampa FL 33607	1976
<b>Came, Melvin E.</b> Box 265, Indian Rocks Beach FL 33535	1962
<b>Catoe, Earl V., Jr.</b> Box 175, Webb MS 35966	1967

<b>Commissioner</b>	<b>Year</b>
<b>Christiansen, Alva</b> P. O. Drawer 729, Temple City CA 91780	1976
<b>Claveria, Federico</b> 1963 Cedar Lane, Santa Barbara CA 93180	1975
<b>Cohen, James H.</b> 319 Royal Street, New Orleans LA 70130	1975
<b>Colver, Charles G.</b> 611 N. Banna Avenue, Covina CA 91724	1974
<b>Cook, Lorraine A.</b> 460 Moreland Way, Hapeville GA 30354	1970
<b>Cooper, David L.</b> 3200 A. Denmark, Bridgeton MO 63044	1974
<b>Cryor, Daniel J.</b> 11700 Ambleside Drive, Potomac MD 20854	1972
<b>Culver, Virginia</b> Box 4316, Irvine CA 92716	1968
<b>Davis, Lester G.</b> 4695 Lake Forest Drive N.E., Atlanta GA 30342	1967
<b>Dinardo, Joseph E.</b> 1369 Union Street, Schenectady NY 12308	1973
<b>Dodson, Polly</b> 1108 Mumford Drive, Urbana IL 61801	1963
<b>Dodson, Oscar H.</b> 1108 Mumford Drive, Urbana IL 61801	1948
<b>Dolnick, Michael M.</b> 1121 University Blvd. W, Silver Spring MD 20902	1966
<b>Duphorne, Robert</b> 1519 Columbia Drive N.E., Albuquerque NM 87106	1972

<b>Commissioner</b>	<b>Year</b>
<b>Dusterberg, Richard B.</b> 8800 Sandymar Drive, Cincinnati OH 45242	1972
<b>Eastburn, Donald W.</b> 20 Marta Dr., Eastburn Acres, Wilmington DE 19808	1973
<b>Elder, Edward K.</b> 530 Jefferson Street N.E., Albuquerque NM 87108	1975
<b>Elms, William E.</b> 3 Joan Street, Brunswick ME 04011	1975
<b>Engstrom, J. Eric</b> 695 N. Armour, Wichita KS 67206	1975
<b>Fitts, Arthur M., III</b> Box 181, West Newton MA 02165	1975
<b>Foss, Virgil P.</b> 71 Fourth Avenue South, Grand Forks ND 58201	1976
<b>Frantz, Joseph V.</b> 16 Spring Drive, Monessen PA 15062	1974
<b>Freeman, Lucy</b> 306 Ash Street, Newport AR 72112	1964
<b>Frenkil, Victor</b> 711 So. Central Avenue, Baltimore MD 21202	1951
<b>Fuld, Melvin</b> 6701 Park Heights Avenue, Baltimore MD 21215	1965
<b>Gabarron, Bernie</b> 210 North 32nd Street, Lincoln NE 68503	1966
<b>Gabarron, John J.</b> 210 North 32nd Street, Lincoln NE 68503	1962
<b>Ganz, David L.</b> Box 123, Bayside NY 11361	1974

<b>Commissioner</b>	<b>Year</b>
<b>Gershenson, Dorothy</b> Box 395, Bala Cynwyn PA 19004	1964
<b>Greene, James A.</b> Box 182, Sparta NC 28675	1972
<b>Granis, Michael</b> 103 Powers Street, Brooklyn NY 11211	1964
<b>Gravlee, Grace</b> 2221 Gay Way, Birmingham AL 35216	1968
<b>Grazier, Robert J.</b> Wagon Wheels Ranchos, 1300 Minnewawa Avenue Clovis CA 93612	1966
<b>Gunlocke, Howard W.</b> 300 W. Naples Street, Wayland NY 14572	1972
<b>Hallenbeck, Kenneth L.</b> Box 15, Colorado Springs CO 80901	1974
<b>Hammel, Ruth V. T.</b> Hotel Cumberland, Cumberland MD 21502	1976
<b>Hatcher, William C.</b> 712 Parrott Avenue, Kinston NC 28501	1965
<b>Hatie, George D.</b> 1126 Whittier Rd., Grosse Pointe Park MI 48230	1975
<b>Heenan, Palmer T.</b> 100 Bishop Rd., Grosse Pointe Park MI 48230	1976
<b>Henderson, Kenneth R.</b> 203 Brenkerhoff Street, Ridgefield Park NJ 07660	1969
<b>Henderson, Warren</b> Box 1358, Venice FL 33595	1976

<b>Commissioner</b>	<b>Year</b>
<b>Hoskins, Charles R.</b> Box 19386, Washington DC 20036	1969
<b>Hrynysheh, Mitchell</b> 2125 Westminster Drive, Wilmington DE 19810	1976
<b>Hunt, Gordon B.</b> Box 605, Elsinore CA 92330	1975
<b>Hunter, John F.</b> Box "CC", Hillsborough NH 03244	1976
<b>Hyde, Barabara R.</b> 10892 Arroyo Avenue, Santa Ana CA 92705	1974
<b>Jaffe, Ralph S.</b> 433 Thames Street, Newport RI 02840	1967
<b>Janda, Ray M.</b> 7323 Washington, Kansas City MO 64114	1965
<b>Johnson, Byron</b> 606 N.W. 80th Street, Seattle WA 98117	1971
<b>Kaptik, Alex</b> 3014 Knorr Street, Philadelphia PA 29249	1965
<b>Keller, Philip F.</b> 5140 E. Boulevard, Canton OH 44718	1974
<b>Kemmerer, Donald L.</b> 1006 W. Armory Avenue, Champaign IL 61822	1967
<b>Kennedy, Col. Clement</b> 138 Puritan Road, Swampscott MA 01907	1951
<b>Kline, Reva M.</b> 112 MacLaughlin Street, Camillus NY 13031	1974
<b>Klunzinger, Thomas E.</b> 1856 Hamilton Road, Okemos MI 48864	1972

<b>Commissioner</b>	<b>Year</b>
<b>Koppel, Stewart B.</b> 1615 W. Downer Place, Aurora IL 60506	1974
<b>Kortjohn, Martin F.</b> 485 Fifth Avenue, New York NY 10017	1965
<b>Krajewski, Herman A.</b> Box 117, Rockville CT 06066	1972
<b>Krause, Chester L.</b> 290 E. Iola St., Iola WI 54945	1961
<b>Krieg, William F.</b> 934 Rundale Avenue, Yeadon PA 19050	1975
<b>Kriz, Col. Robert F.</b> 1710 Richardson Road, Merritt Island FL 32952	1972
<b>Lawrence, Wayne A.</b> Route 2, Mill Creek Rd., Sidney OH 45365	1975
<b>Layfield, Claude B., Jr.</b> Box 95, Auburn AL 36830	1975
<b>Leach, Dale B.</b> Box 646, Oxford NY 13830	1976
<b>Lefman, Betty C.</b> 412 So. Van Brunt Blvd., Kansas City MO 64124	1965
<b>Lefman, Ray O.</b> 412 So. Van Brunt Blvd., Kansas City MO 64124	1963
<b>Lehr, C. Edmund</b> 54 Glen Blvd., Glen Rock NJ 07452	1968
<b>Lewis, Maj. Gary E.</b> Box 3412, Panama City FL 32401	1974
<b>Levitt, David J.</b> 814 Pierce Street, Sioux City IA 51102	1971

<b>Commissioner</b>	<b>Year</b>
<b>Lieberman, Clare</b> 2601 Parkway, Apt. 252C, Philadelphia PA 19130	1968
<b>Lieberman, Maxwell J.</b> 2601 Parkway, Apt. 252C, Philadelphia PA 19130	1963
<b>Lilley, Daniel T.</b> Box 824, Kinston NC 28501	1968
<b>Lindheim, Leon T.</b> Box 22221, Cleveland OH 44122	1970
<b>Litvany, Joseph J.</b> 107 Clark Street, Glen Ridge NJ 07028	1965
<b>Loding, Anna S.</b> 160 Houston Street, Mobile AL 36606	1972
<b>Long, Charles F.</b> 31 West Leigh Drive, Charlottesville VA 22901	1975
<b>Longo, Louis A.</b> 7120 Pennsylvania Avenue, Upper Darby PA 19082	1968
<b>Louth, William T.</b> 89 Davis Hill Road, Weston CT 06800	1966
<b>Lyle, Charles K.</b> 910 Sea Grape Lane, Vero Beach FL 32960	1972
<b>Lyon, C. Dale</b> 607 E. Republic, Salina KS 67401	1970
<b>McAvoy, Rita C.</b> Bethlehem Road, Littleton NH 03561	1970
<b>Majewski, Arthur J.</b> 17105 Chandler Park Drive, Detroit MI 48224	1976
<b>Mallis, A. George</b> 788 Stony Hill Road, Wilbraham MA 01095	1962



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<b>Manin, Milton</b> 1121 Crandon Blvd. Unit E 106, Key Biscayne FL 33149	1962
<b>Mantei, Fredric G.</b> 1122 Franklin Avenue, Garden City NY 11530	1974
<b>Martin, Doris</b> 1430 Fountain View - #303, Houston TX 77057	1968
<b>Mason, Thomas F.</b> Box 1305, Cheyenne WY 82001	1970
<b>Medlar, Robert E.</b> 220 Alamo Plaza, San Antonio TX 78205	1969
<b>Miller, Donald E.</b> 1000 So. Main Street, Crown Point IN 46307	1976
<b>Miller, James L.</b> 16001 Ventura Blvd., Encino CA 91436	1974
<b>Mishler, Clifford</b> 385 E. State Street, Iola WI 54945	1973
<b>Mogensen, Val C.</b> Penn Towers #1201, 1801 J.F. Kennedy Blvd. Philadelphia PA 19103	1968
<b>Montgomery, Robert M.</b> 712 Sixth St. Drawer 36, Clay Center KS 67432	1971
<b>Moore, Purnie</b> Box 3601 W.E., Birmingham AL 35211	1971
<b>Morris, John H.</b> 411 Woodland Drive, Homewood AL 35209	1961
<b>Morris, Opal</b> 411 Woodland Drive, Homewood AL 35209	1966

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<b>Mueller, Lt. Col. Melvin D.</b> Hq. USAFF-LOGAP - PCS Box 9044, APO New York 09012	1974
<b>Muroff, John M.</b> Box 114, Broomall PA 19008	1974
<b>Newman, Eric P.</b> 6450 Cecil Avenue, St. Louis MO 63105	1967
<b>O'Brien, Vincent</b> 139 Kensington Lane, Swampscott MA 01907	1958
<b>O'Brien, Virginia</b> 139 Kensington Lane, Swampscott MA 01907	1973
<b>Palmentier, Pierre E.</b> 1566 Shore Club Drive, St. Clair Shores MI 48080	1973
<b>Parker, Daniel C.</b> 3196 Church Street, Box 8, Boyne Falls MI 49713	1971
<b>Pasvolsky, Valentine</b> 241 River Avenue, Lakewood NJ 08701	1973
<b>Pennell, J. Roy, Jr.</b> Box 858, Anderson SC 29622	1969
<b>Pittman, Gehring</b> 4 Action Street, Rochester NY 14615	1973
<b>Pittman, John J.</b> 4 Action Street, Rochester NY 14615	1947
<b>Rabun, William P.</b> 2035 Black Fox Drive N.E. Atlanta GA 30329	1970
<b>Reed, F. Morton</b> 1572 Bellevue Drive, Wooster OH 44691	1975

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<b>Reiz, Andrew</b> 10001 Howe Drive, Leawood KS 66206	1975
<b>Ricard, Charles J.</b> Box 321, Northbrook IL 60062	1965
<b>Robins, Russell B.</b> 2500 E. Las Olas Blvd., Fort Lauderdale FL 33301	1964
<b>Rochette, Edward</b> 2114 Wood, Colorado Springs CO 80907	1965
<b>Roebbing, Mary</b> 777 West State Street, Trenton NJ 08618	1971
<b>Rothert, Janet</b> 656 Graham Street, Camden AR 71701	1967
<b>Rothert, Matthew H.</b> 656 Graham Street, Camden AR 71701	1963
<b>Rosenblum, Leon S.</b> Box 277, Fair Lawn NJ 07401	1965
<b>Roy, Stanley James</b> 15500 Edgewater Drive, Cleveland OH 44107	1973
<b>Ruby, Charles L.</b> 308 N. Marwood Avenue, Fullerton CA 92632	1968
<b>Rulau, Russell</b> Ioa WI 54945	1973
<b>Rusitzky, Harris H.</b> 3493 East Avenue, Rochester NY 14618	1974
<b>Russell, E. Ward</b> 14700 Peach Orchard Road, Silver Springs MD 20904	1954
<b>Russell, Evelyn J.</b> 14700 Peach Orchard Road, Silver Springs MD 20904	1971

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<b>Russell, Frank J.</b> 104 So. Harris Avenue, Indianapolis IN 46222	1971
<b>Russell, Margo</b> Sidney News Bldg., Sidney OH 45363	1964
<b>Saenger, Rudi F.</b> 8126 Lilly Stone Drive, Bethesda MD 20034	1975
<b>Sawyer, Mark P.</b> Box 77, Chadds Ford PA 19370	1975
<b>Schuiling, William J.</b> 1701 Pennsylvania Ave. N.W., Washington DC 20006	1976
<b>Schneider, Stephen E.</b> 20 Crestview Drive, Orinda CA 94563	1976
<b>Schulman, Hans M.F.</b> Box 416, Alicante, Spain	1952
<b>Schwartz, Max M.</b> 2920 Point East Dr. Apt. N501, Miami FL 33160	1945
<b>Shapiro, David J.</b> 22 Turnberry Land, Hilton Head Island, So. CA 29928	1975
<b>Sipe, Arthur</b> 4021 Bonsall Avenue, Drexel Hill PA 19026	1968
<b>Smith, Sidney W.</b> 401 E. Rivo Alto Drive, Miami Beach FL 33139	1968
<b>Spanbauer, Lawrence J.</b> 1685 Crestview Drive, Oshkosh WI 54901	1976
<b>Spangenberger, Henry G.</b> Box 7, Englewood OH 45322	1976
<b>Spilman, William B.</b> Box 1122, Waynesboro VA 22980	1967

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<b>Stack, Benjamin</b> 123 West 57th Street, New York NY 10019	1965
<b>Stack, Harvey G.</b> 123 West 57th Street, New York NY 10019	
<b>Stark, Leonard W.</b> 247 E. Chestnut Street, Chicago IL 60611	1963
<b>Stern, Eugene</b> 693 Hill Street, Highland Park IL 60035	1976
<b>Stearns, Dr. Radford</b> 5378 Lawrenceville Hwy., Lilburn GA 30247	1975
<b>Steele, Robert E.</b> Box 568, Tomah WI 54660	1975
<b>Stevenson, Bernice "Bink"</b> 19 Roclare Lane, St. Louis MO 63131	1971
<b>Stevenson, John S.</b> 19 Roclare Lane, St. Louis MO 63131	1959
<b>Stonecipher, Eldo H.</b> RR 9 No. Harrison Lake, Columbus IN 47201	1969
<b>Sureck, Jake B.</b> 333 N.W. Fifth - Apt. 1707, Oklahoma City OK 73102	1967
<b>Sutliff, Henry, Jr.</b> 1049 Marcheta Lane, Pebble Beach CA 93953	1970
<b>Trees, Frances K.</b> Old Ridgebury Road, Danbury CT 06810	1971
<b>Tyson, Cornelius B.</b> 613 Halstead Road, Sharpley, Wilmington DE 19803	1970
<b>Vanden Brul, Herbert W.</b> 26 Landsdowne Lane, Rochester NY 14618	1973

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<b>Van Roden, William</b> Rydal East - Apt. 105, The Fairway, Rydal PA 19046	1973
<b>Voigt, Emil</b> 108 Roosevelt Avenue, Valley Stream Long Island NY 11581	1966
<b>Vottima, Peter F.</b> 1009 Westwood Drive, Springfield PA 19064	1976
<b>Wagner, Kermit</b> 404 W. Tenth Street, Schuyler NE 68661	1971
<b>Walton, Philip, Sr.</b> 1012 N. Ocean Blvd., Pompano Beach FL 33062	1971
<b>Whitnah, Paul R.</b> 1704 W. Sussex Walk, Hilldale Village Hoffman Estates IL 60172	1973
<b>Wild, Gene</b> 1210 Joplin Street, Sarcoxie MO 64862	1971
<b>Wilde, Adna G., Jr.</b> 29 Friendship Lane, Colorado Springs CO 80904	1975
<b>Willem, John M.</b> 1 Toms Point Lane, Bldg. 5, Apt. 10-B Port Washington NY 11050	1957
<b>Williams, P. M. (Honorary)</b> 9115 Continental Drive, Alexandria VA 22309	
<b>Williamson, Raymond H.</b> 933 Rothwood Road, Lynchburg VA 24503	1968
<b>Yeager, Dr. Jack O.</b> 1807 Indian Creek Drive, Mobile AL 36607	1964

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<b>Yeoman, Marion</b> 593 Camino Corto, Green Valley AZ 85614	1968
<b>Yeoman, Richard "Dick"</b> 593 Camino Corto, Green Valley AZ 85614	1964
<b>Zbyszewski, Napoleon</b> 6029 N. Leader, Chicago IL 60646	1972

It is with a great deal of pleasure that we present this Roster to the members of the Old Timers Assay Commissioners Society.

*Thelma and Dan Brown*





